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For: **IMPROVED METHODS OF CULTURING EMBRYONIC  
STEM CELLS AND CONTROLLED DIFFERENTIATION**Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231CLAIM OF PRIORITY

Sir:

Applicant in the above-identified application hereby claims the right of priority in connection with Title 35 U.S.C. §1.19 and in support thereof, will submit a certified copy of Australian Patent Application Number PQ8242 filed June 20, 2000 and Australian Patent Application Number PR1327 filed November 8, 2000 in due course.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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